

# **Sri Lanka**

## **ABOUT**

Sri Lanka is a South Asian Island nation renowned for its diverse landscapes, rich cultural heritage, and vibrant wildlife, making it a unique and captivating destination. From pristine beaches and lush rainforests to ancient temples and spice plantations, Sri Lanka offers a wide range of experiences for travelers. The country's friendly people, delicious cuisine, and lively festivals further enhance its appeal.



- 📌 It is nicknamed Pearl of the Indian Ocean and teardrop of India.
- 📌 It's packed with a large variety of animals.
- 📌 Tea is a big business in Sri Lanka.
- 📌 It is home of cinnamon.



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## **Tour Plan For 8 Nights – 9 Days in Sri Lanka**

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| DAY 01 | ANURADHAPURA |
| DAY 02 | JAFFNA       |
| DAY 03 | SIGIRIYA     |
| DAY 04 | KANDY        |
| DAY 05 | NUWARA ELIYA |
| DAY 06 | KATHIRIKAMAM |
| DAY 07 | BENTOTA      |
| DAY 08 | COLOMBO      |
| DAY 09 | DEPARTURE    |

### **DAY 01 PROGRAM: ANURADHAPURA**

At Colombo International Airport. Here you will be met by an airport representative and designated guide Velvet Journeys. After the formalities at the airport, you will be escorted to your air-conditioned vehicle and then proceed to Anuradhapura.

📍 On the way to the Anuradhapura visit Munneswaram temple > manavari temple > Madampe sri murugan temple.



## Anuradhapura

Anuradhapura is a major city located in the north central plain of Sri Lanka. It is the capital city of North Central Province and the capital of Anuradhapura District. The city lies 205 kilometers north of the current capital of Colombo in the North Central Province, on the banks of the historic Malwathu Oya.



📍 Hotel-check-in

## **DAY 02 PROGRAM: JAFFNA**

📍 On the way to Jaffna visit Mannar Ketheeswaram temple.



## Jaffna

Jaffna is a city on the northern tip of Sri Lanka. Nallur Kandaswamy is a huge Hindu temple with golden arches and an ornate gopuram tower. By the coast, star-shaped Jaffna Fort was built by the Portuguese in the 17th century and later occupied by the Dutch and British. Jaffna Public Library is a symbol of the city's post-war regeneration.

## Visit Jaffna

📍 Nallur temple

📍 Jaffna public library

📍 Nagapooshani temple



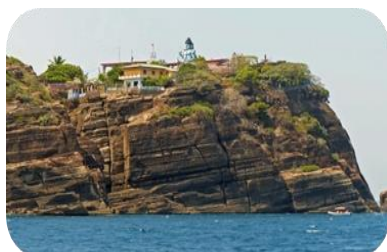
## **DAY 03 PROGRAM: TRINCOMALEE-SIGIRIYA**

### **Trincomalee**

Trincomalee is a port city on the northeast coast of Sri Lanka. Set on a peninsula, Fort Frederick was built by the Portuguese in the 17th century. Within its grounds, the grand Koneswaram Temple stands on Swami Rock cliff, a popular vantage point for blue-whale watching. The holy complex contains ornate shrines and a massive statue of Shiva. Nearby Gokanna Temple has panoramic views over the city and the coastline.

### **Visit Trincomalee**

- 📍 Thirukoneswaram temple
- 📍 Trincomalee fort
- 📍 Kenya hot wells





## SIGIRIYA



Sigiriya or Sinhagiri is an ancient rock fortress located in the northern Matale District near the town of Dambulla in the Central Province, Sri Lanka. It is a site of historical and archaeological significance that is dominated by a massive column of granite approximately 180 m high.

 Experience Sigiriya Village Tour



## **DAY 04 PROGRAM: KANDY**

### KANDY



Kandy is a large city in central Sri Lanka. It's set on a plateau surrounded by mountains, which are home to tea plantations and biodiverse rainforest. The city's heart is scenic Kandy Lake (Bogambara Lake), which is popular for strolling. Kandy is famed for sacred Buddhist sites, including the Temple of the Tooth (Sri Dalada Maligawa).

📍 Spice Walk

### Visit Kandy

📍 Gem museum

📍 Kandyan dance

📍 Temple of Tooth

📍 Botanical garden (Optional)



## DAY 05 PROGRAM: NUWARA ELIYA

### Nuwara Eliya



Nuwara Eliya is a city in the tea country hills of central Sri Lanka. The naturally landscaped Hakgala Botanical Gardens displays roses and tree ferns, and shelters monkeys and blue magpies. Nearby Seetha Amman Temple, a colorful Hindu shrine, is decorated with religious figures. Densely forested Galway's Land National Park is a sanctuary for endemic and migratory bird species, including bulbuls and flycatchers.

### Visit Nuwara Eliya

- 📍 Ramboda Falls
- 📍 Lake Gregory
- 📍 Seetha amman temple





## DAY 06 PROGRAM: KATHIRIKAMAM

 Nuwara Eliya to Ella Train Journey (Optional).



 Yala Safari (optional)



## KATHIRIKAMAM



Kataragama is a pilgrimage town sacred to Buddhist, Hindu and indigenous Vedda people of Sri Lanka. People from South India also go there to worship. The town has the Kataragama temple, a shrine dedicated to Skanda Kumara also known as Kataragama deviyo.



## DAY 07 PROGRAM: BENTOTA

📍 On the way to Bentota visit Galle Fort.



### Bentota

Bentota is a resort town on Sri Lanka's southwest coast. Its long Bentota Beach stretches north, where it becomes a sandy strip known as Paradise Island, parallel to Bentota Lagoon. Coral-rich dive sites include Canoe Rock. On Bentota River, centuries-old Galapota Temple has a large Buddha statue. Southeast is Lunuganga, the estate and gardens of architect Geoffrey Bawa. Northeast is his brother Bevis's Brief Garden.

### Visit Bentota

📍 Madu river safari

📍 Turtle hatchery

📍 Water sports activity (optional)



## DAY 08 PROGRAM: COLOMBO

### Colombo

Colombo is the executive and judicial capital and largest city of Sri Lanka by population. The Colombo metropolitan area is estimated to have a population of 5.6 million, and 752,993 within the municipal limits. It is the financial centre of the island and a tourist destination.

- 📍 Local market
- 📍 Shopping mall
- 📍 Galle face green
- 📍 Sri Ponnambalam Kovil



## DAY 09 PROGRAM: DEPARTURE

### 🚦 BREAKFAST AT THE HOTEL AND PROCEED TO AIR PORT FOR DEPARTURE

Proceeds to the Bandaranayke International airport, where you stack all your memories in your eyes & mind, allowing this beautiful island Sri Lanka. This experience will leave you astounded. Pampered, enlightened. Moreover, animated . A country like no other! Visit Sri Lanka... Dependent on the flight departure time, you will be reassigned to the Airport.

***END OF TOUR***